



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Tadoru Tomiyasu et al.

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OF SUCH FABRIC

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**RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**Introductory Comments**

The following amendments to the specification and claims are being submitted pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.114 in response to the Office Action of March 29, 2005. The period for response is extended by three months to September 29, 2005.

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